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EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING  
GROUP 2859"

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
SHIGEO KOFUNE, ET AL. : EXAMINER: JAGAN, M.  
SERIAL NO: 10/623,521 :  
FILED: JULY 22, 2003 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2859  
FOR: TEMPERATURE MEASURING :  
APPARATUS OF HIGH MELTING POINT  
METAL CARBIDE-CARBON SYSTEM  
MATERIAL THERMOCOUPLE TYPE  
AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE  
APPARATUS

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated May 6, 2005, please amend the above-  
identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.